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PATENT

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re the application of:

Chatani, Massayuki

Application No: 09/846,115

Filed: April 30, 2001

For: ALTERING NETWORK TRANSMITTED
CONTENT DATA BASED UPON USER
SPECIFIED CHARACTERISTICS)
) Group Art Unit: 2157
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) Examiner: Najjar, Saleh
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) Atty. Docket No: SONYP009
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) Date: September 30, 2004

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Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

Transmitted herewith is an Amendment in the above-identified application.
The fee has been calculated as shown below.

	Claims Remaining After Amendment	Highest Previously Paid For Extra	Present	SMALL ENTITY RATE FEE	OR	LARGE RATE FEE	ENTITY
TOTAL CLAIMS	36 -	30	6	X09 = \$	OR	X18 =	\$108
INDEP CLAIMS	07 -	04	3	X43 = \$	OR	X86 =	\$258
[] Multiple Dependent Claim Present and Fee Not Previously Paid				\$145		X290	\$
			TOTAL	\$			\$366.00



Applicant(s) hereby petition for a month(s) extension of time to respond to the outstanding Office Action.
Applicant(s) believe that no (additional) Extension of Time is required; however, if it is determined that such an extension is required, Applicant(s) hereby petition that such an extension be granted and authorize the Commissioner to charge the required fees for an Extension of Time under 37 CFR 1.136 to Deposit Account No. 50-0805 (Order No. SONYP007).



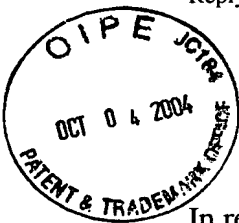
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AMENDMENT

Honorable Commissioner for Patents
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Dear Sir:

Applicant submits this Amendment in response to the non-final Office Action dated June 30, 2004. A response is due on September 30, 2004. Please enter this amendment and remarks in the above-identified patent application.

Amendments to the claims are reflected in the listing of claims, which begin on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 13 of this paper.

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